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Description: ff. ii + 52 + ii - Bound, 1992, in modern goatskin. Previous binding, according to De Ricci, in green gilt calf with dentelle border. - Possibly written at the Bobbio scriptorium. Signed (by owner or scribe) on f. 52v, "Vincent." Purchased on 18 December 1869 in Paris, probably by Lucius E. Chittenden. From the library of Lucius E. Chittenden (1824-1900), the Vermont author, lawyer and politician who served as Register of the Treasury under President Lincoln. - De Ricci, pp. 2168-2169. - <http://cdi.uvm.edu/collections/item/mrmc003>

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Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

Direct Link: http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/MS03_38

Language: Latin *Country:* Italy *Century:* undetermined

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Part 1: ff. 1r-52v

Description: - Parchment - 210 x 140 mm - 1-3¹⁰ 4⁴# 5¹⁰ 6⁸; catchwords at the bottom of fol. 10v, 20v, 30v, 44v. Written in 26 long lines, ruled in light brown ink.

Country: Italy

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Document: No

Number of Scribes: ;

Script: Semitextualis

Figurative Decoration: Five historiated initials with illumination in gold and colors depicting human figures in public and private intellectual discourse. (fol. 1r, 20r, 29r, 30v, and 35r). Each initial is accompanied by a border depicting scenes with bird, dragon, angel, human, stag, and hare subjects, engaged in hunting and music-making activities.

Other Decoration: Blue initials with red flourishes throughout, though a few initials remain without their flourishes though space was left for them (fol. 2v).

Notes: Latin

Number of Texts: 5

Text 1: ff. 1-19v

Author: Cicero

Title: De Amicitia

Title: Marci Tullii Ciceronis De amicitia liber Incipit

Language(s): Latin

Incipit: Quintus Mucius Scevola augur multa narrare de Gaio Lelio suo socero memoriter et iocunde solebat

Explicit: ut ea excepta nichil amicitia prestabilius esse putetis. Marci Tullii Ciceronis de amicitia liber Explicit.

Text 2: ff. 20-28v

Author: Cicero

Title: Paradoxa

Title: Marci Tullii Ciceronis Paradoxa Incipiunt Feliciter.

Language(s): Latin

Incipit: Animadverti Brute sepe Catonem avunculum tuum cum in senatu sententiam diceret

Explicit: non copiosi ac divites sed etiam inopes ac pauperes extimandi sunt. Marci Tullii Ciceronis paradoxa expliciunt.

Text 3: ff. 29-30

Author: Pseudo Sallust

Title: Invectiva

Title: Crispi Salustii in Marcum Tullium Ciceronem Invectiva Incipit

Language(s): Latin

Incipit: Graviter et iniquo animo maledicta tua paterer Marce Tulli si te scirem

Explicit: illos odisti levissime transfuga neque in hac neque in illa parte fidem habens.

Text 4: ff. 30v-33v; f. 34r-v blank

Author: Pseudo Cicero

Title: Invectiva

Title: Marci Tullii Ciceronis in Crispum Salustium Invectiva Incipit

Language(s): Latin

Incipit: Ea demum magna voluptas est Crispe Salusti equalem ac parem verbis vitam agere

Explicit: non que Salustius merito debeat audire sed ut ea dicam si qua ego honeste effari possim. Marci Tullii Ciceronis in Crispum Salustium Invectiva Explicit.

Text 5: ff. 35-52v

Author: Cicero

Title: De senectute

Title: Marci Tullii Ciceronis de senectute Liber Incipit

Language(s): Latin

Incipit: O Tite si quid ego adiuto curamve levasso

Explicit: ut ea que ex me vidistis re experti probare possitis.

Notes: Below text: "Res est grata senem iuveniliter esse iocosum/ Gratus est iuvenem moribus esse senem" (H. Walther, Proverbia Sententiaeque 26649); "His boni viri rei publice consulunt . . . fecere merendo" (Macrobius, Comm. In Somnium Scipionis).